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WORKSHOP - LABORATORY METHODS IN GENERAL MEDICAL MICROBIOLOGY
MONTANA STATE UNIVERSITY - BOZEMAN
September 9-13, 1968

This traveling workshop from the National Communicable Disease Center, Atlanta, Ga. will be in Bozeman September 9-13. If you plan to attend please return the completed registration form as soon as possible. A minimum of 12 students is required. We tried to avoid a conflict with the meeting of Medical Technologists in Jackson, but the MCDC schedule was not flexible.

This course is being sponsored in Montana by the Department of Botany and Microbiology, MSU (Dr. Alvin Fiscus) and the Microbiology Laboratory Division of the State Dept. of Health (Mrs. Patricia Maxey and Mr. Milton Brown). Here is an outline of what will be included in the workshop:

- Monday A.M. Registration, welcome and introduction. Lecture - streptococci/
Laboratory - throat cultures
- Monday P.M. Lecture - D. pneumoniae/ Lab. - blood cultures and spinal fluid cultures
- Tuesday A.M. Lecture - C. diphtheriae/Lab. - throat cultures
- Tuesday P.M. Lecture - L. monocytogenes and Listeriosis/Lab. - spinal fluid cultures/
Film and lecture - Safety in the Microbiology Laboratory
- Wednesday A.M. Lecture - Staphylococci/ Film - Toxicogenicity test for C. diphtheriae/
Lab. - throat cultures
- Wednesday P.M. Lecture - Neisseria/ Lab.-blood cultures and spinal fluid cultures
- Thursday A.M. Lecture - Quantitative urines/Lab.-blood cultures, throat cultures,
spinal fluid cultures and urine cultures
- Thursday P.M. Lecture - Haemophilus/Lab.-blood cultures and spinal fluid cultures
- Friday A.M. Lecture-Collection and Submission of Specimens to the Virology Laboratory/
Lab.-blood cultures and urine cultures/Discussion
- Friday P.M. Lecture-Antibiotic Susceptibility Testing/Lab.-blood cultures and spinal
fluid cultures/Discussion

We received complaints that some interested persons were not informed about the VDRL Workshop (Bulletin No. 4-April 30, 1968). In two instances I know that the laboratory director received two copies of the Bulletin, but failed to impart the information to his technologists. Three copies of the Bulletin are being sent to each of the 102 clinical laboratories in Montana as well as to the 44 associated interests. Please pass them around if you do not intend to use them.

Return forms to: David B. Lackman, Ph.D., Director, Microbiology Laboratory, Montana State Department of Health, Helena, Montana, 59601. Arrangements for hotel or motel accommodations should be made individually. Pathogenic organisms will be used in the laboratory work so applicants must know basic bacteriological techniques:

T E A R H E R E

I PLAN TO ATTEND THE MEDICAL MICROBIOLOGY WORKSHOP TO BE HELD SEPT. 9-13, 1968 AT
DEPT. OF BOTANY AND MICROBIOLOGY, MONTANA STATE UNIVERSITY, BOZEMAN, MONTANA

Name _____

Address _____

Name of Laboratory or Hospital if
different from address. _____



